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Mr. & Mrs. F. Palmer Celebrate Anniversary

Crowfoot Couple Married Twenty-Five Years.

A large crowd of about seventy friends and neighbors gathered at the Altview School House in the Crowfoot District on Friday evening March 24th, to honor Mr. and Mrs. Fred J. Palmer on the occasion of their twenty-fifth wedding anniversary. Floor road conditions at the time prevented a number of other persons from attending. Many friends of congratulations from these persons were received following the celebration by Mr. and Mrs. Palmer.

The evening was spent in dancing music was being supervised by Bert Ross of the Crowfoot District. At midnight, a delicious lunch was served. During the lunch period, Mr. and Mrs. Palmer were presented with a beautiful silver cigarette case, and numerous other gifts by Mr. A. Beattie, who gave a short presentation speech. Mr. and Mrs. Palmer were called upon to speak and each expressed their deepest appreciation of the friendship shown by residents of the community.

Mr. and Mrs. Palmer were married in Seattle, Washington, England, in March 1911, and arrived in the Crowfoot district in April of the same year. In their short talk both Mr. and Mrs. Palmer recalled their arrival in the community, and briefly mentioned the many changes that have taken place since that time in the district. The celebration lasted until about nine o'clock of the morning, when all wished to couple hearty congratulations, and retired to their respective homes.

The Prevention of Sleeping Sickness In Horses

Equine Rhinopharyngitis or sleeping sickness in horses is one of the most serious diseases that has ever occurred in Canada. The Province of Alberta was fortunate in escaping this disease until the summer of 1925, although outbreaks had occurred in Manitoba, and Saskatchewan in previous years and had assumed serious proportions during 1927 and 1928. Alberta, therefore, the benefit of the experience gained in combating the disease in Manitoba and Saskatchewan.

Vaccination has been found to be the most effective method of control. The administration of vaccine, however, is preventive, not a cure and vaccination to be effective must be done BEFORE the disease is contracted.

The first satisfactory satisfactory vaccine was developed for use on a large scale in 1928. It is known as "Calkin" vaccine and large quantities of it are now available in the prairie provinces.

The price of vaccines including the cost of administration, will not exceed one dollar per horse. Vaccine proper administration assures protection for a period of six months. Two doses must be given, from seven to fourteen days apart, during the month of April and will provide immunity until fall. It should be pointed out that two doses of vaccine are necessary for complete protection.

Vaccine will be available at drug stores, municipal office and from registered veterinarians in Alberta.

Success

Mr. H. Keener returned from California, where he had spent the winter, arriving here on Friday evening. Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Trend, and Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Trend, Jr., and son Bobby, are on their way back to Hualar, after spending the winter in California.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Campbell, who have been spending a holiday in Banff, and Calgary returned home the first of the week.

Easter services will be held on April 29th. Rev. J. M. Powell, of Oden will officiate, provided roads and weather permit. This Sunday school will have a suitable program, also. Mrs. E. J. Bell left on Tuesday's train for Lethbridge where she will attend a conference of the A.W.O.C.'s, of whom she is the supervisor.

Mr. W. G. Nelson returned to Chancery on Friday and brought his daughter, Miss Lois, home for the week-end.

Miss Nettie LeGrande spent Monday night at home recently, visiting at her mother's, Mrs. V. P. LeGrande.

Mrs. Comford and Mrs. Douglas, went to Calgary on Monday to visit her mother-in-law, Mrs. V. P. LeGrande.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Campbell motored to Calgary Monday.

Messrs. Paul and Floyd Hulen and E. J. Bell motored to Calgary on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Stitt were Bassano visitors on Sunday.

Boiler out to the main highway by way of Makepeace are quite fair now.

New License Plates Black on Aluminum

1935 motor license plates go on sale at the end of the month, and will be in former years, be distributed in this district by Mr. Milroy. 1935 or older model cars are eligible for the special old car reduction but there is no reduction whatsoever on trucks with the exception of those now converted into light delivery trucks the same as last year.

License plates of this year will be of black on aluminum background. Three states, Alabama, Arkansas and Connecticut, will have the same color scheme as Alberta.

Driver's licenses also expire at the end of the month.

Gem Notes

The Sam Hove Players presented "That Watkins Girl" to a very appreciating audience in Gem Friday evening.

Mr. Hyrie returned home on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Brown made a trip to Bassano on Sunday to attend the funeral of Mrs. Young.

The flu has taken a serious grip on a large number of Gem residents in the past two weeks, but in most cases recovery is almost complete.

Qualified veterinarians will administer the vaccine, but in districts where the veterinarian is not available, arrangements have been made for some other authorized person to receive special instructions on the proper procedure for vaccinating animals.

Further information for the prevention of Equine Rhinopharyngitis will be gladly furnished by the Department. Inquiries should be addressed to the Provincial Veterinarian, Department of Agriculture, Edmonton.

SOCIAL EVENING IN MASONIC HALL THOROUGHLY ENJOYED

Approximately one hundred citizens of Bassano and District were guests of the Bassano Masonic Lodge at a Social Evening and Dance held in the Masonic Hall on Tuesday evening, March 28th.

The earlier part of the evening was spent in playing whist, prizes being given to the winners of high and low scores. Mr. Chas. McInnis held the high score for the Gentlemen, and Mrs. A. P. Thompson for the Ladies. While Mr. and Mrs. Bert Skyles held the low scores. Twenty-two card tables were continuously in use while the white competition was being played.

At 11 p.m. lunch was served at the tables, following which a short program was presented from the stage of the hall. Items on the program included a piano solo by Miss Beatrice Oulton. Tap Dancing by Joan Tilley and Nellie McBride, a Tap Dance number by Miss Fay Frame, and an acrobatic act by little Doris Haynes. The program was thoroughly enjoyed by all, and the Lodge expresses appreciation to those who contributed to it.

The remainder of the evening was spent in dancing, music supplied by the Carlisle Band. Electric Gramophone. The party broke up shortly after 1 a.m. and it was the general opinion of all that this was one of the most enjoyable social evenings presented in the hall for a number of years.

Mrs. Young, Rosemary, Passes Following Illness

After a brief illness, Mrs. Mary Young beloved wife of Mr. J. L. Young passed away in the Bassano Hospital Thursday.

Mrs. Young, 37 years of age, came to Rosemary as a bride 10 years ago, and resided in that town until she came to participate in any activity of the community, was her a multitude of friends who deeply mourn her loss.

The many beautiful floral tributes marked the high esteem in which she was regarded by those who had come to know her. Deepest sympathy is extended to Mr. Young and family, and relatives.

Survivors are: her husband, Mr. J. L. Young and five children, her father and mother, and three sisters all in Ontario.

Funeral services were conducted by Rev. Maile in the Knox Presbyterian Church, Sunday, March 29th.

Fern Ferguson was hostess to a number of young folks Sunday evening at the home of her sister, Mr. Polack.

John Penner dragged some of the Gem roads on Monday. His efforts were profitable, as they made a decided improvement.

Those from Gem who attended the Masonic Social evening in Bassano were: Mr. and Mrs. Meloy, P. J. Williamson, Mr. and Mrs. Brown and Jack, Miss Lavina Sandahl and Mr. and Mrs. Harnwell.

Don't forget the Duchesne Players are coming to Gem on April 5th, with the play, "Plain Jane." Gentiles who remember the "Taming of Turley" and other plays successfully presented by Duchesne in the past, certainly will not miss "Plain Jane."

Lloyd Green is employed in the Colony as present.

(To Late for Last Week.)

Mr. Ryan spent the week-end on his ranch across the river.

Charles Brown spent a few days in Duchesne last week.

Quite a number of juveniles are down with the flu.

Mrs. Hyrie visited with Mrs. P. Powell of Bassano for a few days. Mr. Hyrie underwent an operation last week in the Bassano Hospital, with him a speedy recovery.

Jack Flanagan and M. Wing of Hutton spent last week in Gem.

Don't forget the Sam Hove Players will be in Gem on Friday 24th, with "That Watkins Girl." The Ladies Club are sponsoring a Dance after the play.

The Card Party last Saturday night was another Social Success. The prize winners were: Ladies first, Mrs. T. Pickett, second Mrs. Ryan, Gene first Nell Wallace, second M. Lauchlin.

BUILDING REMODELLED FOR SUNDAY SCHOOL IN GEM COLONY

It will be of interest to all citizens of Gem Colony and district, to know that a building has been moved from the northern end of the Colony, and is now located north of the School and Post Office, where Sunday School Services will be held in the near future.

The building will be remodelled considerably, to make it suitable for the purpose, and as soon as this work is completed, services will commence. At present there is quite a shortage of material, and all residents of the district who have spare lumber on their farms, suitable for use in the construction of benches, etc., are invited to donate the same. It is hoped that any donations would be greatly appreciated. Subscriptions in the form of cash to help defray expenses would also be appreciated, and should be remitted to either Mrs. J. Hoyer, Secretary-Treasurer, of Mr. C. A. Keeling, Superintendent, of Gem. All parents in the district are requested to encourage their children to attend the school regularly, after the services commence. Sunday School Classes will be held at 11 a.m. every Sunday morning. The Superintendent will welcome assistance from anyone outside the colony who might care to visit the Colony during the classes.

Rosemary

Hon. Solon Low Provincial Treasurer, and wife were visitors to the district on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Eastman and Jean motored to Calgary Friday returning Sunday.

Miss Alice McMurtry who has been visiting friends past few weeks returned to Calgary Friday.

Mr. John arrived from Ontario, Sunday, to attend the funeral of his daughter, Mrs. J. L. Young.

Mr. Harry Jackson, who has been in some time, was taken to the hospital Saturday. The many friends wish him a speedy recovery.

Mr. Brown and son Grant, and son-in-law Norman from Stanley were Rosemary visitors Monday.

Mr. R. Culp and Mr. T. Hoagie were business visitors to Regina a couple of weeks ago, returning home with two new Chev. light deliveries, and a new truck.

Don't forget the play out on by the Junior D.P.A. in the school on Friday, March 24, come and have a good laugh.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Irwin returned home to their farm last week after visiting the States for the winter months.

Mrs. B. Lewendon and Eddie accompanied by Mrs. Lord and Mrs. Sawyer, were Calgary visitors on Friday, just they were accompanied home by Jack Clavard.

The Girl Guides held their dance on Friday last, on account of the bad the dance was not so well attended, but all reported a real good time, and an excellent lunch was enjoyed. The girls reported around 18 dollars being cleared on the dance and raffle, Irwin Scott was the lucky winner.

Another new car has arrived in the district this time a Buick Sedan, Hurley and Leonard Williams being the owners.

Miss Willie Leith, of Calgary, is spending a few days with her parents. Mr. and Mrs. Allan Phillips and Douglas accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Mackie were visitors to Milo on Sunday. Mrs. Phillips and Douglas are spending a few days there.

"HAM AND..."

A variation on the chain letter idea has appeared in "ham and egg contest" California. A number of "\$10 Every Thursday" club have a luncheon for six persons at which ham and eggs were served. Each of the six were pledged to give a similar luncheon within two weeks, each to invite six persons who would be obligated to do likewise within two weeks. At the result luncheon 216 months hence, 70,543,978 persons would eat ham and eggs. As the average pig consumes five pounds of grain for each pound of meat added to its carcass and the average farmer's wife throws six pounds of grain to the chickens for each pound of eggs the world is in for a grain shortage if the plogden of these ham and egg enthusiasts can be trusted.

Lathom

Mr. R. Z. Lero was a Calgary visitor on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Swanson and family of Denham arrived here Sunday. Mr. Swanson is the new Section Foreman.

Mr. and Mrs. P. Cowan and J. G. Salmon were Brooks visitors, Monday.

Everett Place was a caller at the Lero home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Sandford spent a few days at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Smith before returning to Cascade, after their holiday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Munro and children were callers at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Sandford Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Smith and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Sandford were callers at the Warren home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Olesburg have moved on the Smith farm near Lethbridge. Mr. Freeman moved the buildings last Saturday.

Water Unsettled: No Cause for Alarm

Citizens on water lines in Bassano have been confronted with the problem of discolored water flowing through taps in their houses for the past few days. The Waterworks Department of the Town, and the local Medical Health Officer inform residents that the condition of the water is not harmful, and there is no cause for alarm. High water due to the real snows of winter, has raised the river, causing the disturbance. The discolor is due to a small amount of sand in the water. All water is purified at the pumping station, by the chlorination process, before entering the main line in Bassano.

One local business man, unaware of the real source of trouble, attributed the discoloration to what he acclaimed "the unethical political disturbance of the R. T. D. Water."

Irricana Wedding of Interest in District

A quiet wedding was solemnized on Saturday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. R. Reeves of Irricana, when their only daughter, Clara Margaret Peggy became the bride of Mr. Holm and Christensen of Ladouze, Minnesota.

They were attended by the bride's aunt, Mrs. Charles Bradley of Edmonton, and the bridegroom's brother-in-law, Mr. Gordon Reeves of Winnipeg. The ceremony was performed by Rev. H. H. Gordon of Ladouze.

The bride was dressed in a floor-length gown of romantic pink chiffon and carried a bouquet of Tallman roses. The matron of honor wore American beauty velvet and the bride's mother wore blue chiffon with pink lace trim.

About thirty-five guests were present and after the ceremony a wedding supper was served with the table covered with a three tiered wedding cake and decorated with pink tapers, pink carnations and statelids. Mr. and Mrs. Christensen are spending a short honeymoon at Banff, after which they leave to make their home in Le Sueur, Minnesota, U.S.A.

Mrs. Christensen, better known here as Peggy Reeves, was raised here in Huxley, and resided here till two years ago, when she moved away with her parents. The people here will be glad to have this news through their local paper.

CARD OF THANKS

May we take this opportunity of expressing our sincerest thanks to the many citizens and friends of the district, for their assistance and sympathy during our recent and bereavement.

J. L. Young and Family,
Rosemary, Alta.

THIS WEEK - END

"PLAIN JANE"

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E. I. D. AND POLITICS

AFTER NEARLY four years of successful operation as a great adventure in agriculture, the E. I. D. has been dragged into the political arena. The man responsible is Premier William Aberhart. His inspiring genius is Wilson E. Cain, Social Credit member for Bow Valley.

We have understated Mr. Cain in the past. — We have said that he was not able. But Cain slew Abel, and our Mr. Cain may have gone a long way in slaying the E. I. D. If he has his way, with all his fantastic notions including the picture of himself trying to fill the shoes of E. I. D. Gray, it would not be long until the picture ended with a sad "his".

The Premier's part in the shambles is far from creditable. It is politics of the unwashed variety, from beginning to end—the type which the career of politics to become obnoxious to men of ability and brought an otherwise honourable profession into public disrepute.

Amid all the confusion, certain facts emerge crystal clear, and which in fact become better known, will undoubtedly react in favour of the Management and the Trustees of the E. I. D.

Last fall, emerging out of a fund of rumour, an interim audit of the affairs of the E.I.D. was ordered by the Provincial Treasurer. This audit was conducted and the report submitted to the Government. There was nothing startling in it, the only question being as to how the legal authority of the E.I.D. to support certain activities within the project of E. I. D. capital. The report was given in November and proved acceptable to the Irrigation Council, who all along had full knowledge of the activities in question. At any rate there was no mention in it of "grave irregularities" and all that these words imply to the man on the street.

That interim audit, out of which these grave charges of "grave irregularities" arose have been in the hands of the Irrigation Council, and at least one member of the Government, namely Hon. Solon Low since last November. If there were any "grave irregularities" it was the bounden duty of the auditor to point them out. Obviously the report was such that there was nothing in it which alarmed either Mr. Charlesworth, Hon. Solon Low, Hon. D. B. Mullen or any other member of the Government.

Why was the interim audit made? Simply because charges against the Management and the Trustees have been made. Did the audit disclose any real basis for the making of these charges? If it did why it is necessary to wait until March 24th before bringing the matter before the Legislature? If there was any truth in the charges, or any substantiation through the interim audit, would it be likely the Mr. Low would have sought to cover up the Trustees or his political opponent, Mr. Gray? The question supplies it's own answer.

It may, therefore, be taken for granted that there was no "grave irregularities" disclosed in that November interim audit, and if there was, then Solon Low (the man who ordered the audit) was himself "guilty" in not immediately bringing the matter to light. We absolve Mr. Low completely, as we do Mr. Charlesworth and Hon. D. B. Mullen and all others who had knowledge of that report, for the simple reason that there was nothing in it of the nature of which the Premier, nearly four months afterwards, now complains.

Then, just to make matters worse from the Government standpoint, even at the time the Premier made his very grave charges, the regular audit of the E. I. D. books and affairs was being completed. The report of that audit has now been submitted by the Provincial Auditor, a Government servant, and was placed in the hands of the Government after the Premier's charges were launched. — Were any "grave irregularities" thereon disclosed? Surely if there had been, and with the Premier probably looking such charges had been made, it was the duty of the Provincial Auditor to disclose them.

What proof is there that the Premier is playing politics? After making his charges outside of the House, where he has motion for a Royal Commission out of order on the subject, a text that it is a matter for the Courts. All well and good, but when Mr. Gray comes to the Courts with an action for libel, what does he find? He is told by the Clerk that on the instructions of the Department of the Attorney General, of which the Premier is the head, the writ would not be accepted for the time being. If that is not playing politics of a particularly vile nature, then we do not know the meaning of the words "dirty politics", but we will be surprised if the subterfuge succeeds.

In the meantime the affairs of the E.I.D. will be run without Trustees, and as Mr. Gray's resignation will become effective on 31st March without a Manager after that date, but under the direction of Mr. George Robertson appointed by the Government appointment of Trustees to fill the vacancies and the affairs of a Manager.

All the primary blame for this terrible state of affairs rests squarely on the shoulders of our member Mr. W. E. Cain and his mind some time ago. Perhaps it will be a lesson to some of them. Mr. Aberhart's part is secondary but of far greater moment, for it was he who paid heed to Cain's importunities and gave effect to them.

It only now remains for the farmers on the project to show what they think of the whole affair, and the sooner the linen all is said and done it is the better for the project who will suffer unless the situation is cleared up quickly.

NOTE AND COMMENT

PERHAPS the Aberhart administration has been guilty of "grave irregularities" in passing so much ultra vires legislation, probably with the knowledge and with the advice that it was beyond the legislative power of the Province. Our Provincial Courts, the Lieutenant Governor himself, the Federal Government, and the Privy Council individually and collectively don't seem to think much of their legislative skill.

RADIO JITTERBUGS, as our American cousins so aptly describe them, particularly those semi-hysterical hockey game broadcasters, are responsible for a new indoor sport—hearing game. In the interest of active participation in sports for sport's sake, we hope it is only a passing phase, and that common sense will soon return to the afflicted.

WATKINS is in part responsible for this. "The news these days of these nasty Nazis is quite nauseous."

DR. MANION'S attitude concerning Canada's part in a war involving Great Britain will prove about as popular with the traditional Conservative vote of Quebec, as the announcement of forty cent wheat will prove to the Prairie farmer.

FROM OUR EXCHANGE COLUMNS

"O WAD SOME POWER THE GIFTIE GIE US
TO SEE OURSELVES AS THIERE SEE US," Burns

THE EUROPEAN KALEIDOSCOPE

THE RAPIDITY with which changes are taking place in Europe these days makes it almost impossible to keep up with the ever-changing events. — One crisis is hardly settled until another one looms on the horizon. — Just how long this state of uncertainty can continue without a spark reaching a powder keg and touching off an explosion that will start another world war is problematic. The events of last week have at least demonstrated two very potent facts: Hitler cannot be trusted to keep his pledged word and Premier Neville Chamberlain has at last been forced to realize that unpleasant fact.

—Trochu-Tribune.

HE SHOULD GET THE INFORMATION HE WANTS

WHEN HON. JAS GARDINER announced an alteration in the federal wheat board policy, he did so mainly to sound out the opinions of citizens, and in this he was successful, for he found a decided majority in favor of continuation of the present plan.

Throughout the West, at least, there has been an increasing realization of the problem, but the Canadian agricultural depends the fate of Canada economically, and this fact is being conveyed to Ottawa in no uncertain terms.

The minister of agriculture is to be commended upon his courage in questioning the problem, but he should further investigate the matter from the farmers' angle. The tentative plan calls for a combined bushel-acreage bonus. The matter is viewed entirely from a financial angle by our farmers, just as Eastern industrialists view tariffs. — We believe we have a right to live and market our products at a living wage and the united voice of the west carries this idea to Ottawa.

With guaranteed prices for wheat, and other grains, the West will continue to be a great market for the East. Our farmers remember the benefits of this year's peg and do not wish to be left at the mercy of the market. Peace River Recd.

DISCREDITED PROPHETS

FOR PEOPLE, this is a Winter of discontent & disrupt. Seldom in many years have weather conditions conspired so effectively to discredit those who profess extraordinary gifts in the matter of foretelling the exact nature of seasons as one swiftly succeeds the other.

The record is disillusioning to those who placed deep faith in the wisdom of the wild life—the squirrel, the chipmunk and the wild goose, the robin, the bear and the beaver, all of whom, we have been taught to believe, anticipate the exact character of the seasons though instincts and prepare themselves accordingly.

Such an important authority as the great naturalist, John Burroughs, questioned the soundness of this theory and produced a great deal of evidence, gathered through actual experience, intending to show that nature's children have no advance knowledge with respect to the seasons. — They are often fooled, as many a wilderness tragedy proves. —Carleton News.

PLANS FOR ROYAL VISIT PROGRESS

A 'though no further details word has been received with regard to the appearance of the King and Queen when the Royal Family stop in Bassano for at least ten minutes on May 26th, plans for the occasion are being completed, such as possible. — In the near future, it is expected committees will be appointed to arrange the celebration.

Present plans call for a parade of all those who appear at the station, across the platform from the east side to the west. The parade will be composed of all little children in the local school children and local and outside youth organization second, with adults following, to hold back the crowds, and keep the parade in orderly fashion. Parking space for cars will be provided in the parking lot just north of the station. Upon reaching the western end of the station, the parade will come to a halt, turn and take the train, until it pulls out of town.

It is reported that a special committee from Ottawa will pass along the route of the Royal Trip, approximately a month before May 26th, to make arrangements. If possible, local committees will communicate with this committee, and arrange a suitable celebration here. However, there is little doubt that the King and Queen will not make an official appearance. Watch for further information in the near future.

SPECIAL LOW RAILWAY FARES FOR EASTER

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PLAIN JANE COMEDY FARCE AT BASSANO TUE. APRIL 24

Under the auspices of the local Burroughs Hooker Club, Plain Jane, a comedy farce in three acts will be presented, opening the season at 8:00 p.m. sharp. This play, directed by Mr. H. H. Duggan and featuring the talented players, who have successfully played in several amateur theatres; performances in the past, it will chosen for this particular locality as it depicts the life of a young western girl with a setting in Spatsizi Canada. Mr. H. H. Duggan states that this is the best amateur play that he has had the good fortune to direct and as he has had years of experience along this line everyone is assured of a grand performance.

Following the play the Rhythmic Rascals will "strike up the band" for a dance that will continue till the "two new hours of the store".

FLOWERS GROWING

Mr. G. S. Warren of Bassano, reports that iris in his flower garden have already broken through the soil, and have grown to a height of three inches. This is believed to be a record for outside growth in this district.

FOR SALE—30 good laying hens, Roost bargains. \$20 each. Apply Mr. G. S. Warren, Bassano.

LOST—1 pair of 1 inch Kitten Pliers. Red insulation on handle. Finder Please Phone, Bassano 77.

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Interesting Items

You are invited to contribute to this column. Please your news items to 35, the Recorder Office

The C. G. I. T. will sponsor a tea and sale of home cooking on Saturday, April 1st.

Mr. O. Rabbit of Rosemary was a visitor in Bassano on Thursday.

Mr. Wm. McLeas was a business visitor to Glenora on Tuesday.

Mrs. S. Leonard was a Glenora visitor on Tuesday of this week.

Mrs. C. Hopkins was a Medicine Hat visitor the first of this week.

Miss Beatrice Gulton spent the week-end at her home in Calgary.

Morris Edwards was a visitor to Irricana on Monday.

Mr. W. F. McNeill was a visitor in Glenora and Brooks on Monday of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Wallace of Pinnau were Bassano and Glenora visitors on Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Snape and son Bill were Red Deer visitors with friends and relatives over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. P. Powell spent a couple of days in Calgary the first of the week.

Carpenters are rebuilding the local R. C. Church, and preparing it for the Easter occasion.

Mr. Jimmy Nesbitt, of Calgary, was a Bassano visitor for a short time on Friday evening.

Constable W. L. Casselman of Bassano was a visitor to Duchess and Tilley on Tuesday evening.

Jas. Johnston has been confined to his home with the flu for a few days this week.

Mrs. M. A. Haynes and Mrs. H. E. Riley entertained the Ladies Curling Club at a tea last week.

Mrs. F. J. Palmer of Crowfoot was a Bassano visitor on Wednesday of this week.

UNITY ORGANIZATION CONTINUE WORK

Edmonton, March 20th. It would be the nearest thing to the world to out-promise the notorious "450.00 a month" program which kept the Social Credit party in power, but such promises would not only be foolish but actually dishonest.

Robert Donaldson of Brooks was a week-end visitor at the home of his father, Mr. Jas. R. Donaldson. Mrs. Leslie Douglas of Glenora was a Bassano visitor Tuesday night, enroute to her home in Glenora, after spending a few days visiting with relatives and friends in Calgary.

Mr. and Mrs. Harwell, Mr. and Mrs. McKay, and P. Williamson, all of Glenora, were Tuesday night dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. Maguire.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Curtis, of Oregon, Wash., were Bassano visitors over the week-end. Mrs. Curtis was formerly Miss Kay Shore of the local hospital staff.

Bassano women are reminded that there will be an Easter Tea in the Glenora Community Hall on April 28th. All are cordially invited to attend.

Special Easter Services will be conducted in St. Columba Church, Bassano, on Easter Sunday, April 29th. Father Morrow will officiate.

Don't forget the big dance in the Glenora Community Hall on Easter Monday, April 30th. Keeling Brothers orchestra will supply the music.

Mr. Jim Maguire has been spending the past week in Glenora. He returned to his home in Bassano the middle of the week.

Mrs. Wagner, formerly Miss Mary Kilegans of the local hospital staff, was a visitor at the home of Mrs. E. P. Currie over the week-end.

It is understood that a very special program of music is being prepared by the Choir of Knox Presbyterian Church, for the Easter Sunday service on April 29th. Watch for further information next week.

stated J. Percy Page, president of the Edmonton Consolidated Unity Association on Monday in an address broadcast over an Alberta network. The Unity movement, he said, will not set forth any glowing list of promises which will outlive those offered the people at the last election by their present Premier, he stated in pointing out that the program of the Unity movement is being determined following close study by the elected members of the Unity Council representing the people in the constituencies.

In an emergency case as faces our present day, we need "more light and less heat" stated Mr. Page. In any opinion those who were entrusted in 1935 with the responsible task of leadership have not only failed to provide that leadership but have actually encouraged the setting of class against class.

No one will deny, he said, that uncertainty and helplessness have dominated the minds of our citizens; that initiative has been smothered, and that even in those fields of endeavor which might have been widened despite a difficult, world-wide economic distress, we have triumphed over adversity.

Confidence in our government and reason of mind among our citizens are necessary if progress is once more to smile upon Alberta's development.

The main problem before the people of Alberta today, Mr. Page pointed out, is the method of electing men and women of integrity, initiative ability and progressive viewpoint, and the Unity movement meets this problem.

The task is one for all the people and cannot be done by those of one political party, he stated, in outlining the principles of the Unity movement.

The citizens within the constituency without consideration of party and on an apolitical autonomous basis, should not interfere or suggest from outside, should make it their business to select and elect the man or woman best fitted for public office, he declared.

Unity represents democracy in the highest degree, the speaker emphasized, and it is necessary that all Albertans place province before party and dedicate themselves to the working out of Alberta's splendid destiny.

FARM WORK UNDERWAY SOON

Spring work on farms in this district should get underway within the next week or two if the present weather continues. This was the opinion expressed by several farmers when approached on Wednesday of this week.

Moisture conditions this spring are more ideal than they have been for the past several years, according to reports. "Bury them," removing roots from the ground, have allowed nearly all surface moisture to soak into the soil instead of rapidly running off as is usual. With these ideal moisture conditions, an early growth is expected. If the present sunnier, and gentle wind continues, the surface of the soil should be in shape for ploughing and seeding in the course of the next few days.

The Poet's Corner

I stole one day from all the previous seven
To be a wee sick; it seemed like heaven
To lie all warm and still, with just one ear
To bother me with things; Just lie and hear
A small bird in a nearby maple tree
Sing snatches of his newest song for me
A little neighbour girl played with her doll
And gathered buttercups and bounced her ball
And she, sang some wordless lovely thing
That drifted down the corridors of Spring;
Stirring my heart with vague forgotten tunes,
Old songs I loved—old memories—old June.
Oh, blessed day that gave me time to think,
Hours to be quiet in, to pause and drink,
From life's small fountains, clear as anemist;
And all those lovely hours I might have missed,
For souls need bread like this, and breaded knees
To give us peace and strength, in times like these. Anon.

Weekly Recipe

SARDINE SPECIALTIES

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- 6 baked potatoes
- 2 capers and a dash of cayenne pepper
- Mix the sardines and dressing together in a paste and add the chopped olives and capers.
- SARDINES IN POTATOES
- 1 can Canadian Sardines
- 6 baked potatoes
- Lemon juice
- Mash the contents of a can of Canadian sardines, season with lemon juice. Mash the potatoes, then without breaking the skin, press gently until inside is moist. Cut off the top of the skin, halve out the potato and mix with sardines. Refill the potato skins, dot with butter, and pass under the broiler until the open top is delicately browned.

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★ Canada's strength as a Dominion is built on the strength of her inter-dependent Provinces. Each of them shares in the production of the others; each contributes to the power of the Dominion as a whole.

With over 700,000 people, producing \$300,000,000 of wealth every year from agriculture, livestock, mining, trapping, fisheries, manufacturing, exporting some 7,000,000 tons of their products; with some 60,000 miles of roads, with 100,000 registrations of cars—passenger, truck and farm equipment; entertaining some 25,000 tourist cars, and thousands of visitors that come by rail, one would say Alberta is "cops".

But in addition to all these riches—these grain fields, these immense flocks and herds, these mines and plants—new word has come of the Turner Valley Oil Field, estimated to be the largest in the British Empire.

Potential production of the field is now 18,000,000 barrels per annum. Two new refineries will be built in Calgary at a cost of \$225,000, and a half million dollars will be spent in additions to an existing plant. The payroll of the Turner Valley Oil Field will approximate \$500,000 per month.

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The WEEK in EDMONTON

EDMONTON: Affairs of state have progressed with a rush this week past. After putting the final O. K. on the estimates, the Legislative Assembly settled down to the remaining business with a determination that spells an early end to the present session. Perhaps the greatest impetus in this respect will be due to the time limit which the members imposed upon themselves by endorsing a Roy Taylor resolution which names 10 minutes as the limit beyond which no orator may speak. There are exceptions, of course.

The exceptions are cabinet ministers, members making resolutions, and "the recognized leader of His Majesty's Loyal Opposition" wherever that may be.

True to his many platform announcements, Agriculture Minister Mullen this week introduced a bill which provides for the establishment of publicly owned stockyards in Alberta. No reflection was intended on the present stockyards set-up, he maintained, but the bill was being introduced because "government" recognizes the need for public ownership of such utilities.

Most important bit of business in the Legislature from the farmer's point of view was Tuesday's resolution calling for an investigation into farm implements, prices—including repairs. Sponsored by J. A. Winblade, the resolution was seconded by Athabasca's Clarence Tade. Of the estimated farm debt in Alberta, said the sponsor, \$21,000,000 was accounted of. He said the estimated total farm debt was \$137,000,000. But "well—lastly" he said for 1931. For the end of 1932, the debt adjustment board agreed that a reasonable estimate would be \$185,000,000.

Naming 10 specific farm implements, the Wetaskiwin member stated that the total price of them had risen from \$449 in 1914 to \$1,667.50 in 1932. In the same period the price of wheat had varied greatly, and in 1932 was 3.14% less than in 1914, while farm machinery costs had risen 75.9%. He considered an investigation was necessary in the interests of the farmers, these figures considered.

KITCHEN HELPS

Mrs. Brown asked her helpful Bob to copy a recipe from the radio one morning. He tried in but got two stations and could not tune either of them out. He did his best. It went like this:

"Handle and place one cup of flour on shoulders, raise knees and press toes, and mix in one cup of milk. Repeat six times. Take quickly by one tablespoon of baking powder. Lower legs and mash two hard-boiled eggs in a sieve. Shake, breathe naturally, and tilt dumplings through sieve into water. Attention! Lie flat on the floor and roll the white of an egg backward and forward until it comes to a ball. In ten minutes remove from floor and rub smartly with rough towel. Breathe naturally, dress in warm flannel, and serve with soup."

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